

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**  
**(MBHB Case No. 02-184-C)**

Appl. No. : 10/804,631 Confirmation No. 7851  
Applicant : Michael J. Burns  
Filed : 03/19/2004  
Art Unit : 3693  
Examiner : Jessica Lemieux

**AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION**

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Dear Examiner,

This Amendment is being filed along with a Request for Continued Examination in the above-identified case. The Applicant hereby submits the following:

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2.

**Remarks** begin on page 4.